

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

WILLIAM FORD
and JOYCE FORD,

Plaintiffs,

versus

ALLSTATE TEXAS LLOYD'S
and SISSI GALLOWAY,

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:07-CV-595

ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

The court referred this matter to the Honorable Earl S. Hines, United States Magistrate Judge, for pretrial proceedings pursuant to Order of Reference entered on August 29, 2007. The court has received and considered the report of the United States magistrate judge, who recommends that the court grant the parties' joint motion to dismiss and enter judgment pursuant to settlement.

The magistrate judge's report is hereby **ADOPTED**. The purpose of the referral having been served, it is further

ORDERED that the reference to the magistrate judge is **VACATED**.

SIGNED at Beaumont, Texas, this 20th day of February, 2008.

Marcia A. Crone

MARCIA A. CRONE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE